

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

LESLIE COLEMAN,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JO ANNE B. BARNHART,  
Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant

Civil No. C06-5014RBL

ORDER

Based on the stipulation of the parties, it is ORDERED that the Commissioner's decision in regard to Plaintiff's applications for disability insurance benefits and Supplemental Security Income disability benefits under Title II and Title XVI of the Social Security Act be REVERSED and REMANDED to the Commissioner of Social Security for further administrative proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). On remand, the administrative law judge (ALJ) shall:

- 1 • Hold a supplemental hearing.
- 2 • Address the limitations assessed and provide legally sufficient reasons if he rejects them.
- 3 • Document his step two decision regarding Plaintiff's migraine headaches, depressive and
- 4 anxiety disorders, and neurological problems.
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- 6 • Reconsider lay witness testimony.
- 7 • Reassess Plaintiff's RFC and provide appropriate limitations for all severe impairments.
- 8 • Reevaluate Plaintiff's ability to perform her past relevant work, noting the inconsistency
- 9 and inadequacy of the residual functional capacity finding
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- 11 • Obtain vocational expert evidence.

12 Additionally, the "B" criteria findings of "moderate", "moderate," "marked," and 1 or two  
13 episodes of decompensation are inconsistent with the RFC finding that Plaintiff could perform  
14 complex tasks with no limitations (Finding No. 6). Furthermore, the RFC finding was not  
15 expressed in work-related terms since the ALJ found that Plaintiff "might have some trouble  
16 relating to changes in the workplace due to stress."  
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18 New medical evidence, if available, shall be considered on remand.

19 Upon proper presentation, this Court will consider Plaintiff's application for costs and  
20 attorney's fees under 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d).

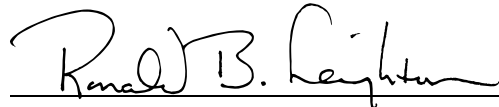
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1 DATED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2006.  
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9 RONALD B. LEIGHTON  
10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

11 Recommended for Entry:  
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14 /s/ J. Kelley Arnold  
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16 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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